MAIL STOP AMENDMENT



FATE TRADEM Applicants:

C.L. Steele et al.

Attorney Docket No.: WSUR118414

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MONOTERPENE SYNTHASES FROM GRAND FIR (ABIES GRANDIS)

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER/ PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Seattle, Washington 98101

May 18, 2004

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Amendment Transmittal A.

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims		Highest						
	Remaining		Number						
	After		Previously		Present				Additional
	Amendment		Paid For		Extra		Rate		Fee
Total Claims	19		83	=	0	X	9	=	0
Independent Claims	2	-	9	=	0	X	43	=	0
	TOTAL	•••					•		\$0

Petition for Extension of Time B.

Applicants respectfully request that the shortened statutory period for response to the outstanding Restriction Requirement dated March 23, 2004, set to expire on April 23, 2004, be extended by 1 month, to expire on May 23, 2004. The enclosed check includes the 1-month extension fee of \$55.00.

Fees Enclosed C.

Enclosed is our Check No. 155559 in the amount of \$55.00 to cover the request for extension of time fee.

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D. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service in a sealed envelope as first class mail with postage thereon fully prepaid and addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the below date.

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This paper is being filed in response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 23, 2004. Please enter the following claim amendments and consider the remarks that follow.